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To: Microsoft ATR

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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

The purpose of this communication is to express my opinion regarding the Microsoft settlement.

I believe that the original settlement should have been sufficient to end this matter and enable all of us to go back to work without the distraction of additional politically motivated harassment of the Microsoft Corporation. I am of the opinion that Microsoft offers for sale products that are generally superior to any others on the market, and that their prices are reasonable. Further, there are alternatives to these products and anyone wishing to avail themselves of other products has the freedom to do so.

Having worked it's way through the minefields created by the Federal government, Microsoft is now being hounded by State Attorneys General who no doubt have visions of another "Tobacco Settlement" bonanza dancing in their heads, another crusade to fill the State coffers on the pretext of upholding the rights of the aggrieved "victims" of yet another greedy corporation.

I ask that you bring this matter to an expeditions conclusion and save all of us money that will otherwise be wasted in further litigation. In the end it is the consumer who pays.

Thank you.

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